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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a Request for Three Month Extension of Time in response to the Office Action dated 09 April 2003. A Continuation Application was filed under separate cover on 07 October 2003, and sent by Express Mail.

**EXTENSION OF TIME PETITION**

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time for response from the date of the Examiner's action as needed, the fee being as follows:

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